GONE TO THE WALL

Another Protective Society Succumbs to III Luck

ORDER OF ALLIANCE BROKEN

This City-- The Loss Not a Total One.

Another mutual benefit insurance moves has gone down. The Order of History, of which General Hawley of Chicago is the head, has gone the way of the iron Hall order. The society was ganized in 1801 and grew rapidly until order had a depressing effect on the menety, which was run on almost the or basis as the Iron Hall. It reached rahip of 5,000 or 6,000 in the United States before the check came. For a year past it has dropped off, and General Hawley could see there was no hope to pull it through, so he wrote all anberdinate officers to close up the affairs of the order. He states that they will be able to pay about 75 cents on the dullar of all assumments paid in, so that the loss to policy holders will not be

heavy. The assessments amounted to \$1.40 per month on \$1.000 of insurance. There were about fifty members of the order in the city, the lodge having been organized about a year ago.

Deputy Sheriff Stevens of Lenawee county left Fanny Priest at the jui last night. She escaped from the Industrial school at Adrian last Saturday, and the found her yesterday at Ferryaburg. She was sent to the school from Grand Haven. Mr. Stevens is uncle to Police Court Clerk Stevens.

The contract for erecting the new union depot at Muskegon will be a warded this afternoon at Architect Ruch's office. Bids were sent in by several contractors from outside the city, but it is quite probable that the contract will be given to one of the Grand Rapids budders.

Ex Chaplain Gibson points with pride to so official document hanging in his office, room 32, old Housemen block, bearing the autograph of Governor lifeb. This document permits him to swear (folks) without breaking one of the commandments. He is now a notary public.

The board of police and fire commis-sioners will hold a special session early next week to decide on the amount of money that should be raised to main-tain the department for the next year. Ex Under Sheriff W. P. Walsh, who

went to Chicago about a month ago to accept a position in the "secret detec-tive service" under Chief Bonfield, has been promoted to a captaincy.

bane DeVires, a laborer on the Rood block, was severely injured about the head yesterday. A rope broke and the grank of a derrick struck him on the right side of the head.

There will be a five minute street car The Taylor street cars will no longer stop at East street, but will continue the

Henry Lilema and James M. Barnett have sold the lot on the northeast corner of Island and south Ionia street to William Alden Smith for \$15,500. Sproul & McGurrin have secured the

heating and plumbing contract for the Bay City court house, and have put a force of men at work on the job

A gang of men are strengthening the banks of the west side canal, which have become weakened by the continued high

The committee on licenses will hold a session tonight, and the anxious salbon men will probably be present.

West Leonard street cars will run no further than North street until the sower in Erondway is completed.

The supervisor of Alpine avenue has reported twenty births and ten deaths A tennis court will be prepared at

John Hall park. Work has begun on the casino of the Country club,

Personal Mention.

L A. Rs. Van Dugteren, of Van Dugtown & Khignel, will go to Kalamano today to open a new system of books recently submitted to the management the Kalamanes asylum by Mosers. Van Frugteren & Raignel.

Geo. W. P. Innes, Col. J. C. Herkner, H. N. Moore, George F. Buss, L. D. Harris and other Knights Templar have returned from the Bay City concluses.

has ug a very pleasant trip. Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Van Norman of Sen Diego, California, are the guests of Co. and Mrs. J. N. Murray.

J H P Hughart, general manager of the G R & I, rend, is in Mackings on

A. P. Hunter and daughter, Miss.

Harry Dean arrived home from Sadi-D. A. Blodgett left yesterday for New York.

Society Notes. The final meeting of the G. A. R. committees before Decoration day will he held next Tuewlay evening in Capt. E. A. Dupper's office, to complete the

arrangements for memorial services. A squart from Company B will go out on South Division street for a few miles. beyond the city limits early Sunday morning for target practice.

The around meeting of the Peninsular Building and Lean association will be held June & in the office in the Micha-

gan Trust building. The Rev Mr. Stiles of Jackson will preach at both the morning and evening errices in the South congregational

efficients from orrere. The Pythian sisters gave a pedro party at No. 815 South Division street last avesting:

The brys' silver medal control will take place in the Y. M. C. A. Duesday night

Peninsular chapter, order of Eastern Star, now has a membership of 316.

Church Suces. The Christian Embasser see ety of the South congregational church will refer brate its anniversary Sunday evening The Rev William Curtis Stiles of Jack

son will deliver the midreus. The congregation of Beth Israel will hold the feast of weeks in Hibersian

and the mission postor, the Rev. T. A. Mc Millen. There were about 125 children and tweaty five adults living in the virinity of the mission present, and the vening was considered with as much interest and enthusiasm as if it had been a holiday. Through the generosity and true christian spirit of the Church of Christ the little follows were regaled with lemonade, and whose, cake and chaughnuts. M. H. Walker and Charles Frost addressed the crowd upon the subjects pertaining to true, honorable nanhood and womanhood and the necessity of growing up to be good men and women.

The organization of the Single Texclub has been completed and officers
elected as follows: President, Heary J.
Hartman, first vice president, William
M. Hathaway; second vice president,
Joseph Simmons; secretary and treasures. Walter F. Mercer; corresponding
secretary. A. Fulkel. The club
at its hast meeting adopted a
set of resolutions embodying the
principles and objects of the organization, of which the following is the preamble: "We hold that our present system of taration is a bundle of absurdities, burdensome on industry and offering premium on idleness, and that thorough reforms in the present system are
imperative." The remedy proposed for
this condition of things is single tax. Single Tax Organia

Visited Lake Avenue.

The special committee of the common council on Lake avenue improvement roll, visited the street yesterday and dug into the street to see if the required depth of gravel had been placed on the street. They found twelve inches of gravel in most places, and not less than eleven inches at any place. The property owners object to the road gravel, which is placed on the bottom of the street. They claim it is nothing but sand. The committee will probably report that the street is built according to contract.

Won One and Lost One. The Grand Rapids Young Men's Christian association basket ball team was nicely whipped by Muskegon, by a score of 7 to 3. The Muskegon team brought about sixty friends with them to aid in giving three cleers in the

In the base ball game between Grand Rapids and Kaiamasoo, Grand Rapids won by a score of 7 to 3. A large crowd witnessed the games, and at the close a reception was held and lemonade and wafers were served.

Will Try the Insane Dodge.

Timothy Phillips filed a petition in probate court yesterday to have Mar-tinus Van Zaltbommel examined as to his sanity. Van Zaltbommel examined as to his sanity. Van Zaltbommel is the man arrested a few days ago for a nameleas erime and Phillips is his con-in-law. Van Zaltbommel has shown no signs of insanity in the court room at the time he was arraigned, and those who have known him for a long time say they do not believe that he is insane. He will be examined today.

Badly Mixed. A small canine of the Scotch terrier . species got badly mixed with the wheels of a street car on Canal street, near Lyon, vesterday afternoon, but managed to wiggle out with three whole legs and a badly bruised head and body, while he filled the air with pitiful ki is as he scrambled across the street and laid down. The usual crowd gathered about

the suffering brute, in sympathy with his sufferings. High School Athletics.

The High School Athletic club field day exercises postponed from last Sat urday, will be held today at the West Michigan fair grounds. The program will commence at 9 a. m. sharp and will be as announced last week. It is expected that the foot ball game will be especially interesting. A strong effort will be made to lower previous records in the standard events.

Will Run Ten Hours.

The Harrison wagon works, which reduced the hours of work from ten to eight a few days ago through lack of cash paying orders, started yesterday to run ten hours, having received an order for five carloads of wagons as soon as they can be gotten out and shipped. many bank failures throughout the west has made the firm very cautious in shipping orders.

Richardson Will Be a Forester.

Next Thursday evening the Hon George F. Richardson will be initiated into the Order of Foresters by Court Kent No. 111. The goat is being spec-ially groomed and fed for the occasion. High Chief Ranger Frank Meilis of The Hon and Mrs. Crawford Angell Port Huron will be present and the returned last evening from a three work will be done in Shanahan's hall, on Plainfield avenue. A banquet will be served.

But Few Heard Him.

Prof. Taylor of the university lectured to about thirty persons in Y. M. C. A. lacture hall last night on the silver situation in the United States. He divided his subject into three heads: Facts of the matter, evals of the situation and the remedies to be applied. He favored the repeal of the set of 1870 and an ex-tension of the national banking system.

Were Valuable Donations. At the regular meeting of the Kent Scientific institute last night, C. R. Sligh presented a copy of The Budget of Science, the official paper of the so-ciety in 1800. The institute was then known as the Grand Rapids Society of

The Cook Not to Blame

Many nice delicacies are often spoiled by the abominable flavorings used in them, and generally their having been spoiled is attributed to the cook. Now if



ere used, cooks will not be unjustly blamed; nice dishes will not be spoiled, as they always impart the delicate fresh-fruit flavor in whatever they are used. It is economy for the poorest to use the best.

An experienced peach grower who owns a peach orchard near this city predicts an abundant crop of peaches this fail. He mays he has never known failure in the crop of fruit, peaches in particular, when the weather has been cold all winter and steadily cool during the month of April up to the middle of May. He holds that the cold weather has retarded the growth of bude and early blossoming until the weather has gradually grown warmer, and predicts warm growing weather, with no frosts, and consequently the peaches when set will remain on the tree and grow thriftily.

Ah! That is the question hard to an-wer. You can see it almost any warm day out on the country road. One need not go so far now though, because the Heyman company have them in full bicom in their display window. Do not fail to see them.

The event of the season will be the opening of Swetland's new pavilion on Sunday. Wurzburg's orchestra afternoon and evening.

Relice of Antiquity.

A fine collection of five hundred Turk-ish rugs now on exhibition and sale by H. K. Samnelian until the 27th of May, at Morse's dry goods store, 122-125 Mon-

The thistle is a flower that has many attractive features and yet some draw-backs. It is to be seen in full bloom at the Heyman company's.

Pensy Sale.

We will make an exclusive Pansy Sale Saturday. May 20, offering 500 dozen Giant Pansy Plants in full bloom. The seed from which these plants were grown is the choicest German Imperial mixture and cost \$23 per oz. This will be our largest sale of Pansies this season and we shall offer the finest lot ever seen in Grand Repids. Prices within the reach of all. Sale commencing at 9 o'clock sharp Saturday morning, May 20, at BROWN'S SEED STORE.

24 and 26 North Division street.

The steamer Parrett gives an excursion down the river, leaving at 1:30 p. Fare 25 cents.

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E. W. Bliss & Co., 67 Monroe street collect rents, attend to repairs, taxes, etc. Patronage solicited. 'Phone 1418

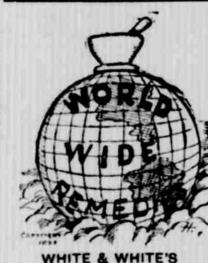




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2:30 and 7:30 P. M.

A number of pictures were sold yesterday at bargains to

A SALE OF MEN'S **BUSINESS SUITS!**

As we have said before, we do not talk of our wonderful bargains at all times, but when we announce a sale it is generally a good thing and we always give good values.

We place on sale today several lots of Men's Suits, made upto.date, of good wearresisting materials, properly tailored and colored. The price,

\$10.00.

Once more-A sale of Seasonable Neckwear, the newest colors and patterns, flowing end four-in-hand shape,

50c.



GREAT \$9 SUIT SALE

Commenced Wednesday, May 10, With a Boom.

We will offer to the public Men's all-wool Suits, ranging in regular price from \$12 to \$22. Light Grey, Dark Grey and Black Straight Cut Sack, Cutaway Sack and Cutaway Frock Suits. The biggest bargains ever offered in Men's Clothing. Come one and all, both large and small and get one of these

BIG BARGAINS!

This is no humbug—A CLEARANCE SALE. We have two, three and four Suits left of a kind, and they must go REGARD-LESS OF COST. Remember, this Great Sale commenced Wednesday, May 10, and the sooner you come the better choice you will have.

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Extraordinary Happenings! THE LAST DAY

WE WILL OFFER THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL VALUES:

500 dozen Ladies' fine embroidered Handkerchiefs, 15c is a low price regularly, will go at special saleat oc each One lot new figured China Silks, handsome shadings and effects, ranging in value 50c, 60c and 65c; our

We Will Offer the Celebrated High Bust Corset at89c each Why pay \$1.25 elsewhere?

Choice of 100 Ladies' Blazer and Eton Suits (perfect fit guaranteed), at...... \$ 500 One special lot Lace Curtains, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, will be closed offered at............ 1.49 pr. Special values will be offered in Chenille Portieres.

TOILET SUNDRIES

Pears' Unscented Soap, worth 15c a cake, at..... Cuticura Soap, worth 25c a cake, at......121/16 Colgate's Guest Room Soap, worth 25c a cake, at......121/16c Kirk's Juvenile Soap, worth 25c a cake, at......121/2C

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